

Introduction

The purpose of this agreement is to promote and develop progression into and through higher education for learners who live, work or study in Sussex.

The agreement draws on, and develops, existing agreements and admissions processes at the universities and colleges within the Sussex Learning Network.

This agreement focuses on those courses within the Sussex Learning Network’s Travel, Tourism & Retail curriculum strand where it has been identified that such an agreement would make a significant difference to successful progression.

The agreement does not seek to illustrate the full range of progression routes that exist, but those to which a guarantee for Sussex learners has been attached. The agreement does not necessarily, therefore, cover the full range of provision within this area of the curriculum, and learners may wish to contact the universities and colleges listed to enquire about alternative progression routes.

The agreement

This progression agreement applies to all learners studying or holding the following qualifications:

Course	Provider	Code
Chef’s Trade Apprenticeship (NVQ 3)	Grand Hotel, Eastbourne	A
Chef’s Trade Apprenticeship (NVQ 3)	Old Ship Hotel, Brighton	B
FdA Food & Culinary Arts	City College Brighton and Hove	C
FdA Food & Culinary Arts	Sussex Downs College	D
FdA Retail Enterprise	Sussex Downs College	E
FdA Hospitality & Events Management	City College Brighton and Hove	F
FdA Travel & Tourism Management	City College Brighton and Hove	G

Learners who have either satisfactorily gained, or are currently studying for and are predicted to gain, an award in one of the above, and who can provide a supporting, satisfactory reference, will be guaranteed an offer of a place on the related courses shown on the following table:

From (code)	Progression to (course)	Provider
A, B	FdA Food & Culinary Arts	CCBH / SDC
C, D	BA (Hons) Food & Culinary Arts - 2 yr work based top-up	UoB*
E	BA (Hons) Retail Management top-up	UoB

* subject to validation

F	BA (Hons) Hospitality Management - 2 yr work based top-up	UoB & CCBH*
F	BA (Hons) Events Management - 2 yr work based top-up	UoB & CCBH*
F	BA (Hons) International Hospitality Management top-up	UoB
F	BA (Hons) International Events Management top-up	UoB
G	BA (Hons) International Tourism Management top-up	UoB
G	BA (Hons) International Travel Management top-up	UoB

Notes

1. A satisfactory completion is defined as one where an award has been granted, or is expected to be granted by the time of entry.
2. The satisfactory completion of a named course will form the basis of a guaranteed offer to each applicant.
3. Applications for full time courses are made through UCAS. Part time applicants should apply direct to the institution.
4. This progression agreement is reviewed annually, and the current status of the agreement should be checked with the relevant institution(s).

Overview: (please also see supporting notes)

	FdA Food & Culinary Arts CCBH / SDC	BA (Hons) Food & Culinary Arts 2 year work based top-up UoB	BA (Hons) Retail Management top-up	BA (Hons) Hospitality Management 2 year work based top-up UoB & CCBH	BA (Hons) Events Management 2 year work based top-up UoB & CCBH	BA (Hons) International Hospitality Management top-up UoB	BA (Hons) International Events Management top-up UoB	BA (Hons) International Tourism Management top-up UoB	BA (Hons) International Travel Management top-up UoB
Chef's Trade Apprenticeship (NVQ 3) Grand Hotel, Eastbourne	○								
Chef's Trade Apprenticeship (NVQ 3) Old Ship Hotel, Brighton	○								
FdA Food & Culinary Arts CCBH		○*							
FdA Food & Culinary Arts SDC		○*							
FdA Retail Enterprise SDC			○						
FdA Hospitality & Events Management CCBH				○*	○*	○	○		
FdA Travel & Tourism Management CCBH								○	○

Key:	
○	guaranteed offer
○*	guaranteed offer subject to validation

